

# Amendment: 3

## General Provisions

Representative **ERICKSON** proposes the following amendment:

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**117.afm.** (GP: Aircraft Fleet Modernization Evaluation) The Aeronautics Commission shall coordinate with an external consultant entity to conduct an evaluation of the state's aircraft fleet including the Aeronautics Commission, the Department of Natural Resources, the State Law Enforcement Division, and the Forestry Commission, related to age, total aircraft flight hours, engine times, overall condition, and comparable market values; further evaluation shall include an analysis on typical mission profiles and aircraft that could perform within the determined profile parameters. This evaluation shall include fixed or rotor wing jet, turbo-prop, and piston aircraft that can accomplish the typical missions. This evaluation shall also include plans that identify purchase information related to obtaining newer aircraft, sales information related to the existing aircraft fleet, and possible alternatives from other state agencies who operate aircraft to include the Department of Natural Resources, State Law Enforcement Division, and Forestry Commission. Each entity shall assist the Aeronautics Commission with the provision of information that supports the completion of the evaluation. Upon completion of the evaluation, the division shall have the authority to purchase and sell aircraft based upon the completed evaluation results. Furthermore, Section 1-11-405 of the 1976 Code shall be suspended for fiscal year 2020-21 to allow state agencies operating aircraft in the state to utilize the Federal 1033 program. Upon completion, this evaluation must be delivered to the Chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, the Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee and the Governor.